

The nature of IP networking would make tapping a specific user's IP traffic an unfair burden on an ISP and it would be incredibly difficult if not impossible to ensure that you are only tapping the specific user's traffic only and not the traffic of hundreds or thousands of users which would be an unwarranted search and seizure and scrutiny of the traffic of anonymous users of whom the government has no right to tap.

Also if an individual were performing illicit or illegal activities online, it is highly probable that the individual would not be doing such activities from their personal account or if so they would be using an encryption scheme that would make any information derived from tapping useless in the short term if ever viable.